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Des Moines, IA
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Beef

IMPS#	Description	Wts	Lbs/Lds	Avg	Change Prw/wk
Boxed Beef Cuts, Select 1-3					
113A	Chuck, 2-pc	72-119	41666	114.69	1.25
115	Chuck, 2-pc bnls	50-80	315056	118.77	0.92
116A	Chuck Roll, n/o 1x1	13-25	2437430	133.19	6.17
120	Brisket	6-14	1485455	95.16	-2.83
123A	Short Rib	1-4	145031	95.57	6.59
160	Round, Bn-in	50-85	143448	128.73	-0.81
161	Round, Bnls	42-80	281277	136.68	0.14
168	Inside Round	14-26	1736971	151.75	2.48
170	Gooseneck Round	18-33	127093	117.97	0.72
	Coarse ground Blend 81%		2843534	114.87	-8.10
	Coarse ground Blend 85%		112092	128.40	-7.63
Cow Cuts/Boneless Processing Items					
	Boneless Chuck 85%			0.00	---
	Top Inside Round	12-16		154.63	-11.74
Boneless Processing Beef/Beef Trimmings, Fresh					
	90% Chemical Lean		3894993	132.48	-9.20
	50% Chemical Lean		159434	142.09	-3.51



Pork



Pork Loins, Fresh ¼" Trim	21 lbs/dn	41.0	134.27	-18.00
Boston Butt, Fresh ¼" Trim	5-10 lbs	130.0	86.55	-18.28
Spareribs, Fresh	4.25 lbs	5.0	162.10	-13.40
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	17-20 lbs	5.0	58.80	1.20
Ham, Bone-in, Trmd TS 1	20-23 lbs	11.0	58.36	-0.16
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	14-16 lbs	9.0	118.11	-5.89
Belly, Sdls, Skin-on, Trmd	16-18 lbs	4.0	115.00	---
Boneless Picnic Meat, Fresh		11.0	67.27	-7.03
72% Chemical Lean		20.5	64.98	-8.52

Dollars per Hundredweight - Equated to FOB Omaha Basis



Dairy Market News
Madison, WI
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Butter

Bulk butter, f.o.b. producing plant, national price range, truckload quantities

This Week	Last Week
1.7950-1.9000	2.0100-2.1150

American Cheese

Process cheese, 5-pound loaf, national price range, dollars per pound

This Week	Last Week
1.9350-2.6000	2.0600-2.6000

Fluid Milk = Basic Formula Price – 21-May-04

Basic price used to set Class I prices, dollars per gallon, June

Price Level	Change from Prv/Month	Change from Prv/Year
1.8169	+0.1273	+0.9794



Poultry Market News
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Broiler/Fryers

Whole Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound, Delivered	
New York 82.72	Chicago 79.44
Los Angeles 82.28	

Parts Bulk

Ready-to-Cook, Ice-packed, Per Pound	
Northeast (Delivered) Breast B/S	241.96
Leg Quarters	39.72
Southern States (FOB) Breast B/S	251.19
Leg Quarters	36.61

Young Turkeys

Grade A, Ready-to-Cook, Frozen, Per Lb., Delivered	
Hens 8-16 Lbs	Toms 16-24 Lbs
Eastern 67.50	67.50
Central 67.00	67.17
Western 67.30	67.40

Table Eggs

Large, USDA Grade A, White, In Cartons, In Volume, Cents Per Dozen	
Northeast 68.00	Metropolitan Areas
Southeast 67.50	New York 74.00-78.00
Midwest 63.50	Chicago 65.00-73.00
S. Central 65.50	S. California 87.00-90.00

Egg Products

Liquid, Non-pasteurized, Trucklot Volume, FOB, Per Pound			
Whole	44.00	Whites	58.00-63.00 Yolks 46.00-48.00
Frozen, 30Lb Containers, Wholesale per Lb			
		Whole Eggs	Whites
Eastern (Less Than Trucklot)		64.00-68.00	85.00-94.00
Central		57.00-59.00	81.00-84.00
S. Calif. (Less Than Trucklot)		63.00-66.00	85.00-88.00
Dried, Wholesale Prices, Dollars Per Pound, In Container (Range)			
Whole	2.25-2.90	Yolks	1.42-1.75 Blends 1.65-2.00



Fruit & Vegetable Market News
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Fruits

Apples, Red Delicious, WA ExFcy, C.A. Storage, 100s Containers Tray	
Pack, Yakima Valley & Wenatchee District, WA	15.50
Pears, D'Anjou, U.S. One, 45 lb cartons 100s, C.A. Storage, Yakima	
Valley & Wenatchee District, WA	18.00
Strawberries, flats 12 1-pint baskets, large-exlarge, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	8.40
Oranges, Valencia Shippers 1 st grade, cartons 113s ctns, Central &	
Southern CA & AZ	9.50
Grapefruit, Cartons Rio Red, Shippers 1 st grade 36s South & Central	
District, CA and AR	9.00

Vegetables

Broccoli, Bunched 14s Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	5.22
Carrots, Medium-Large Sks 48 1-lb filmbags, Kern District, CA	10.35
Celery, 2 ½ doz ctns, South District, CA	7.48
Lettuce, Iceberg, 24S, Cartons, Salinas-Watsonville, CA	4.68
Peppers, Bell Type, Green; 1 1/9 buctns/crates, large, South FL	6.93
Tomatoes, Mature Greens, 85% U.S. One or better, 25 lb. Cartons, 6x6	
size South FL	6.70
Mexico flats 2 layer Vine Ripe 4x5s, Crossing Through Otay Mesa	8.35
Onions, Yellow Grano, Jumbo, 50 lb sacks, Imperial Valley, CA	6.50
Potatoes, Russet Burbank few Norkotah, U.S. One, 50lb ctns, 70s,	
Upper Valley, Twin Falls, Burley District and Western Idaho	11.50

Simple Average of Weekending Prices of Stated Grades or Stock of Generally Good
Merchantable Quality and Condition. Prices FOB Shipping Point Basis. Dollars per
Unit.